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USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT ANNOUNCES FUNDING

Brownwood, Texas, September 17, 2002 –USDA Rural Development, state director, Bryan Daniel, announced today that KJD Enterprises, Inc. received a \$2,046,224.00 Business and Industry Guaranteed loan. USDA Rural Development is charged with assisting rural communities by administering programs targeted to strengthening the economy and infrastructure of rural areas.

“We are pleased to be able to fund this project in Brownwood,” said Daniel. “This business will be able to maintain the present 32 jobs and will add another 8 to 10 jobs. One of our goals is to provide access to credit for rural businesses that will bring jobs to the area for local residents. This loan will help Brownwood and the surrounding area continue to grow and thrive.”

For more information regarding this and other USDA Rural Development programs and eligibility requirements, contact the Brownwood Local Service Center at (915) 643-1585, Ext. 4 or visit our web site at <http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/tx/>

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The USDA Rural Development mission area was created in 1994 and includes the Rural Business-Cooperative Service, the Rural Housing Service, and the Rural Utilities Service. Its mission is to use the resources of USDA to provide an improved quality of life for the nation's 53 million rural people.

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